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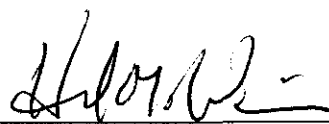
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for additional NTSC channel allotments will not be accepted. New parties may not counterpropose a new NTSC allotment. The opportunity for filing counterproposals is limited to those parties with existing petitions and applications that are the subject of the filing window pursuant to which Iberia triggered this proceeding by filing its petition for rulemaking.

WHEREFORE, Iberia urges the Commission expeditiously to issue a Report and Order adopting the NPRM's proposal to allot Channel 50 to New Iberia, Louisiana.

Respectfully submitted,
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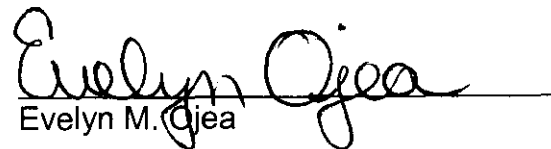
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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I, Evelyn M. Ojea, hereby certify that on this 22nd day of August, 2002, I caused copies of the foregoing Comments of Petitioner to be delivered, via hand delivery, to the following individuals:

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